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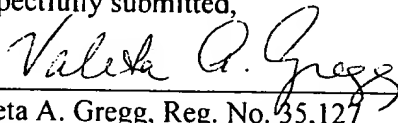
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In response to the Notice of Informal Application dated February 16, 2001, please find attached herein a separate sheet entitled "Abstract." Please amend the application to attach the Abstract following page 11.

No new matter is added by this amendment.

Respectfully submitted,



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Filing Date Granted

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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

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